

WEST BLOOMFIELD TOWN BOARD

Workshop

March 23, 2005

PRESENT: Supervisor Baier, Councilmen Hagen and Powers
NECESSARILY ABSENT: Councilmen Ball and Rehberg
ALSO PRESENT: Town Clerk Mary Grundman, Highway Superintendent Dave Good

Supervisor Baier opened the meeting at 7:00 pm.

RESOLUTION #48

Appointment

Supervisor Baier advised the Board that Susan Kircher wanted to be reappointed to another term on the Assessment Review Board. Councilman Hagen made the motion to approve Ms. Kircher's reappointment, seconded by Councilman Powers.

Adopted: Ayes 3, Nays 0

Resolves that Susan Kircher is reappointed to the Assessment Review Board.

Property Tax Reform Task Force

Discussion tabled for May Workshop.

Factor's Walk Road Dedication

Road Dedication was discussed. Supervisor Baier and Highway Superintendent Good will draft a letter to the residents, Curt Barnes and Brad Swett defining the requirements for the proposed dedication.

RESOLUTION #49

Kirkwood Heating Oil

Supervisor Baier advised the Board that Kirkwood Heating Oil would offer a discount on fuel bills that were paid as due, and asked the Board to approve payment of fuel bills when due instead of at the monthly meeting. Councilman Hagen made the motion to approve, seconded by Councilman Powers.

Adopted: Ayes 3, Nays 0

Resolves that the Kirkwood Heating Oil bills may be paid when due.

Public Information Meeting for Town Hall Disposition

The Board discussed the possibility of holding information meetings in July or August.

Report on Collateral Release

Supervisor Baier reported that she had checked with Canandaigua National Bank on the Collateral release form discussed at the last meeting. Mary Kay Bashaw explained that the form is completed every year as the property tax account increases and decreases.

Wind Tower - Superintendent Good advised the Board that he had received some information on a possible wind tower project that could potentially save the Town money for electricity at the Highway Garage. More information will be forthcoming.

RESOLUTION #50

Mower – Superintendent Good requested permission to purchase a new, unused 2002 roadside mower for a cost not to exceed \$10000.00.

Councilman Powers made the motion to approve the purchase, seconded by Councilman Hagen.

Adopted: Ayes 3, Nays 0

Resolves that Superintendent Good may purchase the mower for a cost not to exceed \$10000.00.

Radio System for Water Tower

Superintendent Good advised the Board that he is checking on the possibility of getting a radio system to replace phone lines for the water tower. Money promised from the Ambulance Corps would be used to purchase the equipment.

RESOLUTION #51

Water Tank Cleaning & Inspection

Superintendent Good advised the Board that the tank is due for inspection and cleaning at a cost of approximately \$2650.00 plus \$800.00 for cleaning. Councilman Hagen made the motion to approve the payment for the inspection & cleaning, seconded by Councilman Powers.

Adopted: Ayes 3, Nays 0

Resolves that the inspection and cleaning of the Water Tank is approved.

Correspondence:

The following correspondence was distributed to the Board for review:

Time Warner Communication

Thomas Ely – thank you from the Historical Society

Jean Rohland – Cell Tower letter

Councilman Hagen asked the Board if a concert by the jazz ensemble and choir could be arranged. The Board agreed to try for May 26th at 6:00 p.m. Councilman Hagen will make the arrangements.

Councilman Powers made the motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilman Hagen. Meeting adjourned at 8:15.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Grundman
Town Clerk